

GERMANY WANTS ARMISTICE AT ANY PRICE, IS PARIS BELIEF COMMITTEE OF 100 WILL MAKE INFLUENZA SURVEY OF THE CITY

GENERAL STAFF OF ARMY IS PLAYING FOR TIME THAT IT MAY REORGANIZE RESERVE

As Paris Newspapers View It, Reply to President Wilson Leaves Way Open for All Sorts of Quibbling and is in Nowise a Direct Answer to Demands of Allies; Reveals Depression in Central Empires.

OFFICIAL TEXT IS RECEIVED IN WASHINGTON

(By Associated Press)

PARIS, Oct. 22.—The German reply to President Wilson was received here too late for the afternoon papers but was eagerly discussed in official circles and in parliament. Among deputies of all shades of opinion the impression was first of all that the reply betrayed more than previous communications the state of depression and the demoralization of the German people as the result of the Allies' victories.

As a whole the note is found to be equivocal and tortuous and plausibly phrased as to leave the door open for all sorts of quibbling. Nowhere is there evidence in the reply of a genuine desire to accept the only way in which peace can be concluded, according to expressions of opinion here. On the contrary all that is apparent is the urgent desire of the German general staff to get an armistice at any price in order to reorganize its reserve of men and material. Therefore it is generally believed that the reply is not likely to be considered at Washington.

The Figaro says that the men who combined to write the reply to President Wilson have "translated the anguish, dismay and powerless anger of the people in whose name they pretend to speak."

The Journal says the note seeks to divide the Allies and seeks also to draw from President Wilson a formal declaration that "nothing will be asked contrary to the honor of the German people but that an avowal of some defeat is."

OFFICIAL TEXT BEING

DECODED AT CAPITAL.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—The official text of Germany's latest note to President Wilson was received by cable today at the Swiss legation. Frederick Oederlin, the Swiss charge, arranged to deliver it to Secretary Lansing as soon as it could be decoded.

The charge's appearance at the State Department was delayed for several hours as the task of decoding and translating proved to be long and tedious. "Considerable differences in verbiage may be shown and it is understood that the official text will clear up certain obscure passages in the wireless version received yesterday."

Indications were that no announcement of a decision by the President could be expected before tomorrow. Secretary Lansing was with him until near midnight last night discussing the wireless version but there now must be further conferences and it is assumed there will be exchanges with the allied capitals.

OPINIONS VARY AS TO

WHAT WILSON WILL DO.
WASHINGTON, Oct. 22.—Official comment on the German note continued to be withheld awaiting an indication of the President's views. Everyone expected him to decide very quickly whether the note with its promises in support of the plea for an armistice and its assertion that the government at Berlin no longer is responsible to an arbitrary and creates a new situation requiring action.

Informal opinion as to the probable attitude of the President covered a wide range, though it did not differ on the great points that immediate peace is not at hand and that however sincere the German overtures may be, no armistice will be agreed except on conditions of surrender that will destroy forever the power of the Kaiser's war machine for harm.

Some observers thought no answer would be made and the German armies left to complete their enforced evacuation of occupied territory as best they might with the Allied armies on their heels while the people at home continue the work of ousting autocracy. Others believed the next step in agreement with the Allies would be a suggestion that the German military commanders if ready to accept dictated terms should approach Marshal Foch on the subject of an armistice.

Those who are convinced that the enemy is bent on submission and that efforts at bargaining now are merely a prelude to complete surrender in the near future if the Allies hold firm to the determination to accept nothing less are guided by confidential diplomatic advisers purporting to show that there has been a real political revolution in Germany and that the people in power are ready to throw out the Kaiser and all his war thralls to get peace.

It was learned today that a private from Germany has been pub-

HUGE GUN WHICH HAMMERED DUNKIRK TAKEN BY ALLIES

Fifteen-Inch Cannon, Deserted in Haste, is Found to Be Undamaged.

FRENCH CROSS THE LYS

Railway Feeder in the Serre Sector in the Hands of Marshal Foch; Belgian Captives of the Huns to Be Released as Their Armies Retreat.

(By Associated Press)

LONDON, Monday, Oct. 21.—Allied forces which have swept the Germans out of Belgium and Flanders captured the big 15-inch cannon with which the Germans have been hammering Dunkirk during the past year. The gun was undamaged according to an official statement issued at the war office today. The statement reads:

"The groups of armies commanded by the King of Belgium has maintained its pressure along the whole front. In their hurried retreat before the Belgian army the Germans were forced to abandon all their coastal defense guns of which a number were intact. The big 15-inch cannon gun at Hoogenboom, which was fired up to the last minute on the city of Dunkirk, was also captured undamaged."

"French detachments which crossed the Lys have repulsed a violent enemy counter attack and succeeded in improving their bridgeheads east of the river."

"The second British army is on the banks of the Escaut from Baillet to Hechin. In spite of enemy resistance it has advanced more than 1,500 metres between the Escaut and the Lys."

FRENCH REACH RAILWAY

ON THE SERRE FRONT.
PARIS, Oct. 22.—The progress was made last night by the French on the Serre front, the war office announced. The French reached the railway northwest of Asst-sur-Serre and also the St. Jacques farm, northwest of Chalandry.

BELGIANS TO BE FREED.

VATICAN IS INFORMED.
ROME, Oct. 22.—Baron von Lander-cken, chief of the German political department at Brussels, has informed Cardinal Mercier, primate of Belgium, that when the Germans evacuate that country the deported Belgians would spontaneously be released, according to the Observateur Roman, semi-official vatican organ. He told Cardinal Mercier it is said, that a part of the Belgians who were deported would be free to return to their country on Monday.

WITT MADE LIEUTENANT

Former Sergeant in Company D Wins a Commission.

In a letter to his brother, Clark Witt here, A. G. Witt tells of having been given the commission of second lieutenant after finishing a training course in a school near Paris. Witt left here with Company D as a corporal.

When he arrived in France he was promoted to sergeant and later was taken from the trenches during the fighting in July and placed in a officers' training school. He has undergone 12 weeks of training, graduating as one of a class of 1,500. He writes that he has been attached to an old fighting regiment. The letter was dated October 11.

MAIL QUESTIONNAIRES

Board No. 5 is Sending Blanks to Remaining Registrants.

Local Board No. 5 is mailing out of questionnaires to the registrants of that district who are 18 years old, and between the ages of 37 and 45.

The board has received a notice that after the list of order numbers has been completed it will be permissible to go ahead with the mailing of the questionnaires. The order numbers of District No. 5 have already been sent to Harrisburg.

W. H. Baer Ill.

W. H. Baer is seriously ill of pneumonia at his home in South Connellsville.

A NIGHT AT THE EMERGENCY HOSPITAL AS RELATED BY A VOLUNTEER NURSE'S HELPER

(This is the story of the experience of a young lady of Connellsville who, impelled by a desire to render some useful service during the prevalence of the influenza epidemic, answered the call of the Red Cross for volunteer nurses and helpers.)

An record of the impressions made upon one unaccustomed to hospital scenes, and as a chronicle of the many incidents of a night's tour of duty as a volunteer nurse, to the suffering and distressed, this simple record ought to appeal to others who, like the writer, would have all doubts of their ability to help removed, were they heroic actively engaged, as she, in the work.

It took a lot of courage, finally, to answer the call of the Red Cross for volunteers to assist during the influenza epidemic. The daily papers, full of deaths, frightened me and I sat watching and listening for the symptoms of the disease to appear and wondering how soon I'd become a victim. Then, when so many people I knew were dying, and others were so ill, I determined to help do something to stamp out the dread plague.

I knew absolutely nothing about nursing and doubted my ability to assist but felt I could do something, like fetching things, washing dishes, serving meals, anything that would relieve

the trained people. So I offered my services. I volunteered in answer to the call of the Red Cross and was instructed to report at the emergency hospital Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

To me hospitals always seemed such mysterious places. The charts on the foot of the beds are so unintelligible; they look like a relief map in the geography I had in the sixth grade. The entrance to a hospital always cast such a gloom over my spirits and brought such sadness into my heart for I knew it was the abiding place of suffering. But never before did I have such a feeling of awe as I had upon entering the old Y. M. C. A. building, now the emergency hospital. The familiar place could hardly be recognized. All the hospital attendants, doctors and nurses, wear white gauze masks which give them, at first view, an air of mystery without the fascination of a masquerade. You know they are on serious business, not on pleasure. They look what I imagine mummies look like. (I never saw a mummy.) The big fat doctor looked like a big fat mummy and the tall, thin doctor looked

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\$60,000 RAISED IN SALTICK FOR THE LIBERTY LOAN

Had Quota of \$21,000; Springfield Township Goes Over the Top With Margin of \$6,650.

Late reports coming in from the outlying territory in the Connellsville district show some additional sections that have gone over the top. Saltlick township, with a quota of \$21,000, raised \$60,000, and Springfield township went over with a margin of \$6,650.

An additional subscription of \$10,000 from the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad company has come to this city.

The Liberty Loan committee here is still at work on tabulating the subscriptions preparatory to making a report to the Central Liberty Loan committee. Persons who have pledged themselves to buy bonds are requested to go immediately to the banks and make the first payment. The last day for making the initial payment is October 24, but the banks are greatly aided if the first ten per cent is paid before that time as it is possible to report the purchase of the bond to Cleveland. Unless the initial payment has been paid the bond cannot be considered as sold.

SEMET-SOLVAY FORCE

Contributes 100 Per Cent Toward the Fourth Liberty Loan.

Every employee of the Semet-Solvay company at Dunbar subscribed and subscribed liberally to the Fourth Liberty Loan. Among the men there was raised \$17,500, or an average of \$114 for each of the 153 employees, according to information given out today by Superintendent R. A. Longwell. In addition to this the company subscribed \$10,000 for the local plant, making the total \$27,500.

The Semet-Solvay plant is in the Dunbar township district, of which Benton Boyd of Trotter was chairman.

Returns to Camp.

Martin Griglak, who has been spending a furlough with his mother, Mrs. Anna Griglak of Crawford avenue, West Side, will leave tomorrow for an embarkation camp. The young soldier is in the hospital service.

At Brother's Funeral.

Owen Meegan, stationed at Camp Jackson, S. C., is home to attend the funeral of his brother, Thomas Meegan, who died of influenza in Washington, D. C.

Mt Pleasant Boy Wounded.

Mrs. Elizabeth Francy of Mount Pleasant, received word from the War Department yesterday that her son, C. J. Francy of Company E, was wounded in action on July 30.

One Drunk Arrested.

One drunk given a hearing before Mayor John Duggan this morning was released on his promise to pay a fine of \$3.50.

Weather Forecast

Partly cloudy and warmer tonight; Wednesday rain and warmer; the noon weather forecast for Western Pennsylvania.

Temperature Record.		1918	1917
Maximum	60	59	
Minimum	32	43	
Mean	46	51	

SCOTSDALE LOSES PIONEER IN THE COKING INDUSTRY

Abraham K. Stauffer and Brother, the Late J. R. Stauffer, Operated One of Original Plants.

SCOTSDALE, Oct. 22.—In the death of Abraham K. Stauffer, which occurred Sunday at his home in Locust avenue, Scottdale, and the community lost one of the pioneer capitalists of industry in this locality. For many years Mr. Stauffer was engaged in business with his father, the late John M. Stauffer, and later with his brother, the late Joseph R. Stauffer, under the firm name of J. R. Stauffer & Company in the operation of the Dexter coke works and other coking and coal mining plants. For many years Mr. Stauffer was president of the Scottdale Foundry & Machine company. Throughout his business career he had acquired himself in such a way as to gain the confidence and esteem of all with whom he was associated, and his capability was recognized throughout the community.

Mr. Stauffer was born near Scottdale, just across the line in Fayette county at what was known as Stauffer's mill, September 16, 1838. His entire life was spent in this community. Death was due to general decline incident to age. He leaves two sons, J. C. Stauffer and George W. Stauffer, of Connellsville, and two daughters, Mrs. H. R. Francis and Mrs. W. A. Scott Lane of Greensburg.

The remains may be viewed this afternoon and evening at the home. Private funeral services will be conducted tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock at the home.

LOUIS J. SHUTSA, LEISENRING, IS DEAD OF WOUNDS

Message Comes Today About Same Time Letter is Received Saying He is Well.

Louis J. Shutsa, well known young man of Leisenring, has made the supreme sacrifice that America and the Allies may win. A message received this morning by his brother, John J. Shutsa, of Leisenring, said he had died September 28 of wounds received in action.

Shutsa was a member of Company K, 47th Infantry. He went to Camp Lee on May 29 last, and overseas in July.

About the same time today the telegraphic message of his death was received came a letter saying that at the time it was written, September 19, Louis was well and looked forward to coming home soon.

The young man is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius Shutsa, of Leisenring; one brother, John J. Shutsa, a merchant of Leisenring, and two sisters, Mrs. Sophia Faltin, of Leisenring, and Mary, at home.

Mr. Stanyard Recovering.
C. S. Stanyard, Pittsburgh & Lake Erie ticket agent at McKeesport, who has been ill for the past few days at his home in Greenwood, is able to be about again.

Has Pneumonia.
Mrs. E. L. Beggs is ill of pneumonia at her North Pittsburg street home.

SCHEME IS AGREED UPON AT A CONFERENCE OF RED CROSS AND MINISTERS AS WISE ONE

Situation Here is More Serious Than is Generally Regarded, in the Belief of the Men Who Have Been in Closest Touch; Canvass Will Serve to Clear Up Number of Cases and Need for Aid.

URGENT APPEAL IS MADE FOR VOLUNTEER HELP

That the situation arising from the prevalence of the influenza in the city and vicinity is most serious, and that to meet it requires most careful thought and the best as well as the unselfish efforts of all citizens who are concerned about the community's welfare, were the considerations uppermost in the minds of the persons who attended a meeting held in the Red Cross headquarters last evening at 8 o'clock.

The meeting was attended by several ministers of the city and members of the Red Cross, who after a canvass of the situation, decided that prompt steps must be taken with a view to bringing about a more efficient and systematic method of caring for the needs of those suffering from influenza and pneumonia. The committee on nursing has been unable to procure a sufficient number of nurses, either trained or volunteer, to meet the many calls from homes in which practically all members of the families are victims of the epidemic in one or another of its forms.

With a view to making better provision in the very urgent and necessary matter of providing help for the afflicted, it was decided to appoint a committee of 100 or more citizens for the purpose of making a thorough survey of the city. The objects of the canvass will be to ascertain how many cases of influenza and pneumonia are in the city; how many families are in need of nursing help and how many persons will volunteer their services as helpers.

In the conduct of the survey the city will be divided into zones to which certain members of the committee will be assigned. When a house is visited a card will be left giving approved instructions and advice as to what should be done in cases of influenza and pneumonia. It is planned to commence the survey tomorrow and complete it in due time if possible. The Red Cross bespeaks a cordial and courteous reception in all homes to the members of this team, its mission being to render aid to the suffering possibly in the promotion of the community's welfare. Citizens are asked to answer promptly and fully all questions that may be asked in order that complete information may be available as to the extent of the epidemic, the needs of the people and the best means of helping them in the present emergency.

The committee in charge of the survey consists of Rev. Father J. T. Burns, Rev. Wilbur Nelson, Rev. J. L. Proudfit, Rev. G. L. C. Richardson, Rev. Father Henry DeVivo, Rev. J. H. Lamberton and Thomas J. Hooper.

It is the purpose of the Red Cross to extend to all auxiliaries of the Connellsville branch the same plan of local survey as will be made here. Several earnest requests for assistance have already come in from some of the auxiliaries where a number of families are without the necessary attention to insure the saving of the lives of their afflicted members. At Adelaide a case of this kind has been reported. The H. C. Frick Coke company promptly issued instructions that everything possible be done to meet the situation and without expense of any kind to persons in need of help.

Chairman Hooper of the Red Cross said this morning that the need for help cannot be too strongly emphasized. "So many, a urgent requests come from families that have practically every member helpless from the ravages of influenza or pneumonia," he said, "that it makes one's heart sick to think that we have no nurses available for such cases. We have many persons in the city who are qualified by experience, and who are free from sickness in their homes who could serve as nurses, but they have been backward in signifying their willingness. This is not exactly in accord with the fine spirit of Connellsville people have shown in other matters when the need for service and sacrifice were really less urgent than now."

"We must realize the seriousness of problems before us and determine to courageously meet them. It will involve some hardship, possibly some peril and risk, but we must not have said of us that the people of Connellsville have failed in the most critical time of its history as a community. We cannot permit people to die for lack of nursing, when as persons with some limited experience can do it, they will."

Nurses and nurses helpers are not asked to give their services without compensation. The Red Cross will pay every one willing to accept it. But we must have help. The opportunity for service ought to make more

than a mere announcement of the city will be divided into zones to which certain members of the committee will be assigned. When a house is visited a card will be left giving approved instructions and advice as to what should be done in cases of influenza and pneumonia. It is planned to commence the survey tomorrow and complete it in due time if possible. The Red Cross bespeaks a cordial and courteous reception in all homes to the members of this team, its mission being to render aid to the suffering possibly in the promotion of the community's welfare. Citizens are asked to answer promptly and fully all questions that may be asked in order that complete information may be available as to the extent of the epidemic, the needs of the people and the best means of helping them in the present emergency.

Officials of the Frick company announced today that approximately 600 cases of the disease had been reported from the company's 18 plants in the region. About 12,000 workers at the various Frick plants were inoculated with the "anti-flu" serum on Saturday. It was announced. Serum is now being received in more adequate quantities than heretofore and by tomorrow all the Frick employees in the region will have received the inoculation treatment. The Frick company reports that the treatment has been followed by no painful effects but has found general favor among the workers, many of whom have expressed the wish to have their families inoculated against the disease. The company now is preparing to provide the treatment for all members of the families of its workers who desire to undergo it. It is expected 70,000 men, women and children will be treated by the Frick doctors.

Independent operators throughout the region are arranging to procure serum for the treatment of their employees. It is understood that by the middle of the present week a plentiful supply of the fluid will have been obtained and the work of inoculation begun on a large scale. The strictest quarantine against the disease is being maintained by order of the state health department at all plants. The mortality rate for this district is extremely low, compared to the rate of other regions and physicians say that the toll taken by the disease in Fayette and Westmoreland counties will be low if the health department's

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The Grim Reaper

Funeral directors of Conneltsville have received notification from the state board of health that all funeral services and all interments are to be private during the continuance of the influenza epidemic.

HARRY DWYER.

Harry Dwyer, about 27 years old, died last night at the emergency hospital of influenza. He had been ill since last Friday. Funeral Director J. R. Foltz of Dunbar, took charge of the body. The deceased was a son of John and Mary Dwyer of Conneltsville and was employed by the Pennsylvania railroad at Greensburg. He was unmarried and is survived by his parents and the following brothers and sisters: John Dwyer, Charles Dwyer and Mrs. Maude Sheehan, all of Hazleton; Eugene Dwyer and Mrs. Margaret McGarrity of Shofar.

ROY NICHOLSON.

Roy Nicholson, 19 years old, died yesterday morning at his home at Dawson, following an illness of pneumonia. Private funeral services will be held from the home tomorrow afternoon at 1:30 o'clock with interment in the Cochran cemetery.

LEWIS T. J. MORAN.

The funeral of Lieutenant T. J. Moran was held this morning at 10 o'clock from the residence of his sister, Mrs. John Farrell in Uniontown, with Rev. Father P. R. Keenan officiating. Attorney John Duggan was a pallbearer.

WILLIAM R. BOWDEN.

William R. Bowden, of Pittsburg, a fireman on the Pittsburg division of the Pennsylvania railroad, died Sunday afternoon at the Bowden home of pneumonia, resulting from Spanish influenza. The deceased was born at Dunbar in June, 1888, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Bowden, now of Johnstown. In addition to his widow and parents he is survived by one son and one daughter, Earl Bowden of Westmont. The interment was made today at Johnstown.

HELEN KATHLEEN MALECEK. Helen Kathleen Malecek, three years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Malecek of the Narrows, died this morning following a few days' illness of pneumonia.

SIMON NICKLOW.

Simon Nicklow died yesterday of pneumonia at his home at Indian Creek. Robert Hooper, assistant to funeral director Charles C. Mitchell, went to Indian Creek this morning and will accompany the body to Conneltsville this afternoon on B. & O. train due here at 5:45 o'clock. The interment will be in Hill Grove cemetery.

AUSTIN ATKINS.

Following a brief illness of pneumonia Austin Atkins, 18 years old, son of Mrs. W. H. Atkins of 314 West Hurby avenue, died Sunday morning at the emergency hospital. The body was removed to the home of the deceased by funeral director J. E. Sims, where funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The deceased was born in New York in April, 1900, and was employed as a machine operator at the local Baltimore & Ohio shops at the time he was taken ill. The deceased was a corporal of Company G. The company turned out and gave the deceased a military funeral.

DR. JOHN C. McCLATHY.

Rev. J. L. Proudt, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church and Rev. Wilbur Nelson, pastor of the First Baptist Church officiated at the funeral of Dr. John C. McClathy held yesterday afternoon from the family residence in South Pittsburg street. The pall bearers were: W. N. Loebe, T. J. Hooper, H. George May, A. R. Boyer, A. B. Stouffer and J. H. Hoover. The interment was made in Hill Grove cemetery. Among the out of town relatives attending were William McClathy and son, H. W. McClathy, the former a brother of the deceased, both of Washington, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dawson, Mr.

and Mrs. William Nixon and Mrs. Porter, all of Uniontown. Thornton Barnes of New York, a brother of Mrs. McClathy, did not arrive until this morning. Dr. McClathy was a member of the board of trustees of the Carnegie Free Library, being elected president at the opening of the library and serving continuously until his death.

ROGER M. KERR.

Following a nine days illness Roger Merritt Kerr, 21 years old, son of Milton Kerr, deceased, and Lydia Kerr, died yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the family residence No. 417 East Francis avenue. He contracted Spanish influenza and later pneumonia developed resulting in his death. The deceased was born at Lemont February 2, 1897, and spent virtually all his life in Conneltsville. Previous to his illness he was employed at the Sigo. He was a member of the First Baptist Church and in addition to his mother is survived by two brothers, Carl S., stationed at Camp Johnson, Jacksonville, Fla., Donald Kerr of Junata and two sisters, Mrs. Arthur Howells of Scottsdale and Miss Mary Aline Kerr at home. No arrangements will be made for the funeral until word is received from the brother in camp.

THOMAS A. ADAMS.

The body of Thomas A. Adams, who died Sunday at his home in Somerset, will arrive here tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock over the Baltimore & Ohio railroad and will be removed by funeral director J. L. Stader to St. Joseph's cemetery for interment.

PERSONAL MENTION

J. D. Fought of Indian Creek reservoir was in town today on his return trip to Harrisburg, York and other points of interest.

For the best and cheapest repairs on that roof, conductor or spouting, see P. T. Evans Estate—Adv.

Miss Minnie Rottler who has been ill at her home in North Pittsburg street, for the past few weeks, is able to sit up.

Dr. and Mrs. S. S. Stahl and daughter Miss Bessie, left this morning for St. Petersburg, Fla., to spend the winter.

The best place to shop after all, Brownlee Shoe Company—Adv.

Miss Elizabeth Hilmer is ill at her home in Eighth street, Greenwood. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Metzler and son Billy of Uniontown, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jenkins and daughter, Miss Judkins of Barnesville, O., who were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Metzler, motored to Barnesville yesterday.

Call and get your "Book of a Thousand and Songs" before they are all gone. 17-17

Lieutenant Dean Sturgis of Uniontown was in town yesterday on his way to Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., where he has been transferred from Camp Dix as a machine gun instructor.

Misses Anna and Lela Murland, daughters of R. J. Murland of Johnstown, were visiting relatives and friends in Cumberland over Sunday.

All the National Songs, Songs of the Allies, "Book of a Thousand Songs," only a few left. 17-17

Mrs. Arthur Nemon of Greenwood, went to Rockwood today to visit Mrs. A. W. Young.

Mrs. P. E. Christner of Baldwin avenue, who has been ill of Spanish influenza and double pneumonia, is recovering.

There is not much improvement in the condition of Edward Baer, who is ill of influenza at his home on Vine street.

Miss Ruth Barnes of Chicago, arrived here today to visit her aunt, Mrs. J. C. McClathy of South Pittsburg street.

SOCIAL NEWS.

A meeting of the Priscilla Sewing Club which was to have been held October 25th has been postponed until further notice.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Margaret Sayfang Allen of Bradford, Pa., and William H. Cover, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cover of East Crawford avenue, solemnized yesterday in a New York City church, with Rev. Dr. Percy B. Wrightman officiating. Following a wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Cover will be at home in East End, Pittsburg. The bridegroom is a special income tax agent for the government.

The marriage of Miss Mary C. Johnson of Pittsburg, and Elmer E. Vought of Johnstown, was solemnized Saturday evening in the home of the bride's brother, Joseph L. Johnson in Beechwood Boulevard, Pittsburg. The bride is a daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. John C. Johnson of Uniontown.

Miss Lucille Craig of Uniontown, and E. Don Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Smith of Wilkesburg, were married yesterday afternoon at the Second Presbyterian parsonage in Uniontown, Rev. Dr. W. Scott Bowman, the pastor officiated. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Smith came to Conneltsville and boarded a train for Pittsburg.

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Florence L. Heeter of McElhattan, and Joseph A. Haden of Georges township, solemnized Wednesday, October 16th.

Notice to Carpenters. In compliance with ruling of Health authorities, owing to influenza epidemic, there will be no meeting of Carpenters Local No. 251 Tuesday evening of this week. Next meeting at next regular time unless otherwise notified. By order of President J. E. Summerville, A. E. Dumbauld, R. E. A—Adv-21-21

Paid of Thanks.

Mrs. P. C. Moser wishes to thank those who so kindly assisted her during the sickness and after the death of her dear sister, Mae and Gene Grannell, especially those who wish to extend thanks to those who sent flowers.—Adv

LOCAL WAR NEWS

FRENCH DURS AGAIN

WOUNDED IN ACTION Mrs. Rebecca M. Durs of West Fairview avenue, was officially notified Saturday by the War Department that her son, Sergeant French Durs of Company D, was wounded in action on July 28. Some weeks ago Mrs. Durs received a letter from her son, stating that he was in a hospital for treatment of a wound of the shoulder. A letter received from him on Saturday led to the belief that the young sergeant was wounded a second time. He said "that on September 17 he joined the boys and found them laid after the 'Jerries.' On September 21 he wrote he was removed to the hospital again. He speaks of hand grenades and bayonet fighting and Mrs. Durs fears her son was wounded the second time. According to French, the Macabee basketball team was shot to pieces. He also speaks of the death of Sergeant Milton Bishop.

SERGEANT LESSIG

REURNS TO CAMP Sergeant Clark M. Lessig of the Students' Army Training Corps, Section B, First Regiment Artillery, Philadelphia, has returned to his regiment after a brief visit with his wife in Uniontown and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lessig here. Sergeant Lessig acted as an escort for the remains of Casper Ray Fornwall.

FRANK SHOWMAN

SEVERELY WOUNDED Frank C. Showman, a member of Company D, 110th Regiment, is in a hospital in France for treatment of wounds of the arm and foot, according to a letter written by a Red Cross nurse to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Showman of Edna street. The letter stated he would be in the hospital for some time.

GEORGE RICHTER

WOUNDED IN BATTLE Mr. and Mrs. Christian Richter of Highland avenue were officially notified by the War Department that their son, George Richter, had been wounded in action.

JAMES ROBINSON

WINS HIS STRIPES John T. Robinson, of Uniontown, was officially notified by the War Department that his son, James Robinson, of the Waynesburg company of the 110th Regiment was wounded in action on July 30. Mr. Robinson has had several letters from his son and knows he is back on duty with a sergeant's stripes won on the battlefield.

TONY RENCKES, OF

WHEELER, CASSED Writing to his sister at Wheeler, Tony Renckes states he was gassed on September 10 and is in a hospital near Paris. Tony is a member of the 110th Machine Gun Company.

WALTER OLANDER

VANDERBILT, OTED Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Olander of Vanderbuilt R. F. D. 1, received word from their son, Private Walter M. Olander, telling of his safe arrival overseas. Mr. and Mrs. Olander have three sons, all of whom are now in France. Private Rudolph and Thorwald Olander are with the 319th Infantry, the former a member of Company A and the latter attached to Company M.

JAMES MCGLARY III.

AT BAR HARBOR, MAINE James McGlary, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McGlary, of the West Side, is ill with pneumonia at the Marine Corps headquarters at Bar Harbor, Me., according to messages received by the parents. The latest telegram, received today, said his condition was slightly improved.

SCHEME IS AGREED UPON

Continued From Page Two Regulations are strictly observed. Suggestions from the disease are warning against the dangers of exposing too rapid a recovery. Convalescents should abstain from all exertion until their strength has been fully regained. Premature exertion often is followed, physicians say, by the convalescent developing heart lesions and pneumonia. Operators are inducing all workers who have been stricken with the disease to refrain from work until all danger of relapse is past, this despite the national shortage in coke production and the pressing need for greater tonnage. Operators also are refusing to allow workers to attend funerals expiating that such attendance would necessitate their being placed in quarantine and so render their services unavailable to the operator.

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NEW PRICES—50c, 60c, \$1.20

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought has borne the signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision for over 30 years. Allow no one to deceive you in this. Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments, and endanger the health of Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA? Castoria is a harmless substance for Castor Oil, Purgative, Drops and Soothing Syrup. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulence, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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THE CENTRAL COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

IF HAIR IS TURNING GRAY, USE SAGE TEA

Here's Grandmother's Recipe to Darken and Beautify Faded Hair.

That beautiful, even shade of dark glossy hair can only be had by brewing a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray or streaked, just an application or two of Sage and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundredfold.

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Everybody uses "Wyeth's" Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair has disappeared and after another application it becomes beautifully dark and appears glossy and lustrous. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite for those who desire dark hair and a youthful appearance. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.—Adv.

NERVOUS RUN-DOWN WOMAN

Tells How Vinol Creates Strength. Duked, Tenn.—I live on a farm and keep house for six in my family. I got into a nervous, run-down condition so it seemed as though I would die. A friend advised me to try Vinol. I have been greatly improved by its use and am better and stronger, in every way.—Mrs. H. H. Goodwin. The reason Vinol was so successful in Mrs. Goodwin's case is because it contains beef and cod liver poisons, iron and manganese peptonates and glycerophosphate, the very elements needed to build up a weak, run-down system and create strength.

S. S.—For pimples and blotches try Saxon Solve. Money back if it fails.—Adv.

Laughery Drug Co., Conneltsville, D. C. Eason, Dunbar, and Druggists everywhere.

Mount Pleasant Wins. MOUNT PLEASANT, Oct. 22.—The Mount Pleasant Independents defeated the Jeannette Tigers in a one-sided game at Frick park Saturday, 32 to 0. Among the local stars were Fisher, Ansel, Billinger and Spirk. The game was refereed by Scott Macindoe. Frank Dimeo was umpire and Oscar Stahl timekeeper.

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1 Rack of Suits, Values to \$30.00	\$25.00
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Get your organs of digestion, assimilation and elimination working in harmony and watch your trouble disappear. NR does it or money back.

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The stomach only partly digests the food we eat. The process is not set in the intestines. The food is not mixed with bile from the liver. It must be plain to any sensible person who realizes that the stomach, liver and bowels must work in harmony if digestion is to be avoided or overcome. This fact also explains why sufferers from indigestion, flatulence, sour stomach, gas, constipation, and other ailments, should take a box of Nature's Remedy (NR) Tablets right today and start taking it. Give it a trial for a week or two.

Five million boxes are used every year—two million NR Tablets are taken by sane people every day. It's the best proof of a merit. Nature's Remedy is the best and safest thing you can take for indigestion, constipation, indigestion and similar complaints. It is sold, guaranteed and recommended by your druggist.

A. A. CLARKE, Conneltsville, Pa.

Should Sickness or an Accident Overtake You Today

THINK

What would it mean? Loss of time, additional expense and worry. What a mighty comfort when lying on your back to know your cares are insured by us beyond the shadow of a doubt. Only while in good health can you secure this protection. We insure both men and women. No obligation to investigate this splendid contract. Do it now.

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Firms and individuals who are determined to succeed in business, utilize commercial energy—making every transaction bring a just return.

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When the morning cup is unsatisfactory

suppose you make a change from the old-time beverage to the snappy cereal drink

INSTANT POSTUM

You'll be surprised at its cheering, satisfying qualities and delightful flavor. It's all health—no caffeine.

Try a Tin

NEWSY NOTES TELL WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE MILL TOWN

**William Shurer Dies at
Braddock of Spanish
Influenza.**

BELL FORCE IS GIVEN SERUM

Funeral of Mrs. Carrie Freed Eicher, who died at Swisshale, will be from home of sister at Pennsville; Tom O'Donnell, 110th, is gassed.

(To the public:—Items for the Scottsdale column of The Courier or of interest generally may be left at Ruth-erford's News Stand, Pittsburg street. They will receive prompt attention. They must be written and should be carefully prepared, using one side of the paper only, in order to insure correct publication. Special care should be used with proper names. Do not use the telephone in communicating with this agency. Write it. All communications must be signed.)

Special to The Courier.
SCOTSDALE, Oct. 22.—William Shurer, aged 31 years of Braddock, died at his home there of influenza. The body was brought last evening to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Shurer, of Mulberry street. Funeral services will be private Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock and interment will follow in the Scottsdale cemetery.

Mrs. Eicher's Funeral.
The remains of Mrs. Carrie Freed Eicher, who died Monday at Swisshale of influenza will be brought here this afternoon and taken to the home of her sister, Mrs. Samuel A. Detwiler, near Pennsville. Funeral services will be held on Thursday and interment will follow in the Pennsville Baptist cemetery.

Bell Employees Inoculated.
The Bell Telephone company, through Dr. N. E. Salsley, inoculated its operators and employees here yesterday with influenza serum.

Back in Service.
Word has been received here from Neade Tannehill that he is out of the hospital and back in the ranks. Tannehill, who is a member of Company B, 110th Infantry, lost several fingers on his left hand.

Tom O'Donnell Gassed.
Word has been received by Patrick O'Donnell from his son, Thomas E. O'Donnell, with the 110th Machine Gun company, that he had been gassed, but was able to be back on the firing line.

How King Describes Land.
Mr. Howard King has received word from her husband, who is with Company L, 118th Telegraph Battalion, 308th Corps, stating that he is in the field where they wear their hair combed at right back on their heads, and where all the women wear old-fashioned black dresses, and little lace caps, after the pattern of our dust caps, and wooden shoes when it rains. He tells of seeing the women doing their washing down at the brook with a soft stone for a wash board.

Home on Turnback.
Charles Ray Kepner of Langley Park, Va., is home on a furlough with his mother, Mrs. Ida Kepner, Son Born.

Prof. and Mrs. J. Nevin Vaugaman are the parents of a son, born at their home here.

Hunting Squirrels.
Joseph Steiber, William W. Hines and the former's brother-in-law, Henry Funk, of New Stanton, left yesterday for Shishikown where they will hunt squirrels.

Personal.
Mrs. Jennie Wallace, of Mercer, is the guest of Mrs. W. M. Calvert.

SALTS IS FINE FOR KIDNEY, QUININE

Flush the kidneys at once when back aches or bladder is sore.

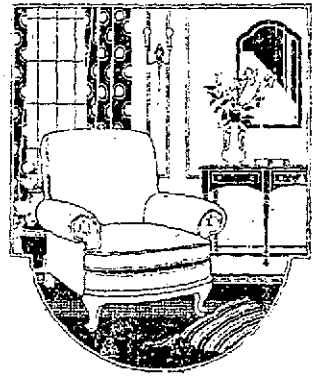
No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

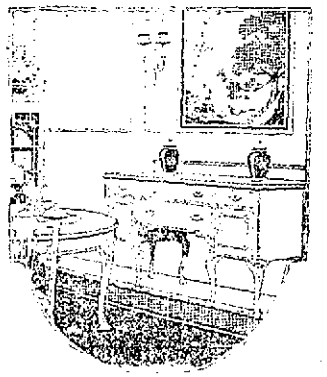
Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which all regular meat eaters should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.—Adv.

Fur Display
Of F. C. Dorschner, Pittsburg's largest exclusive furrier, now at the Smith House and continuing Wednesday is worth while any woman's time to look over the wonderful furs and to let Miss Mellinger show you the different models you might particularly be interested in. To remodeling work special attention is given.—Adv.

Now is the Best Time to Buy Furniture and Homefurnishings



There is little hope that Furniture and Homefurnishings of quality—the only kind we have on our Floors—can be had at prices so low for a long time to come. The great Furniture Factories are being drawn into War work; the cost of labor and materials is mounting and the Government is gradually curtailing the use of certain woods. Fortunate indeed we are, to be able to offer unprecedented values purchased before the present advanced market prices.



Here you will find an immense stock of Furniture, carefully made of selected and seasoned woods, representative of the finest cabinet-making and desirable as anyone can wish. This Furniture is built for service, for beauty, for character and for all the qualities that Homekeepers of varying requirements would like their Furniture to possess.



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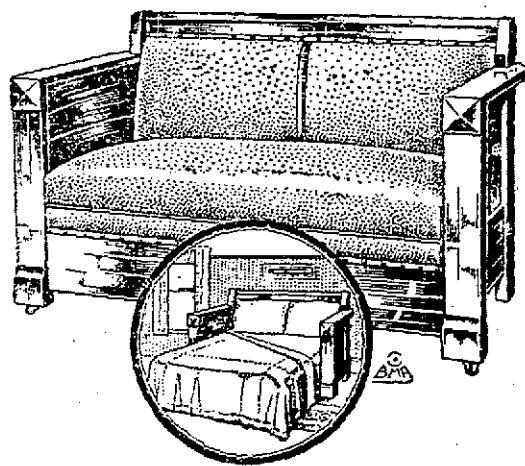
Homefurnishers Since 1891

Not alone do we offer you the largest varieties of styles and designs in Southwestern Pennsylvania to choose from—but our courteous, painstaking sales service will be of untold assistance to you in making your selections. No matter what you buy or what price you pay, every article you purchase must give complete satisfaction at all times.

Special Sale of Davenports and Suites Now in Full Swing—Continues All of This Week

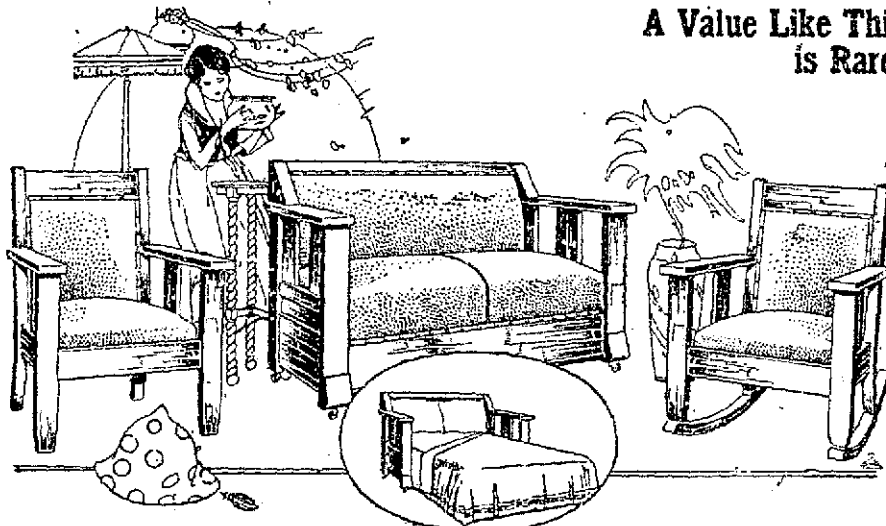
Here is a REAL Davenport Value!

A Value Like This
is Rare!



This Sturdily Built Solid
Oak Bed Davenport \$42.50

Here is a Davenport that will give years of service. The spring construction is the same as that found in the more expensive Davenports—upholstered in the best grade of imitation leather that is guaranteed not to crack or peel. Finished in a beautiful golden oak.

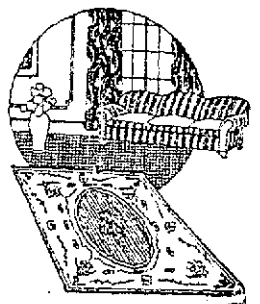


This Solid Oak Complete Three-
Piece Living Room Suite. Sale Price . . . \$69.75

A whole room full of Furniture for the price you ordinarily pay for a single piece. Both the Chair and Rocker have coil spring construction, making them very comfortable. The Kodak opens into a full-size bed with a single motion. Upholstering is done in the finest grade of imitation leather. Finished in golden oak.

RUGS CARPETS LINOLEUMS

Entire Second Floor



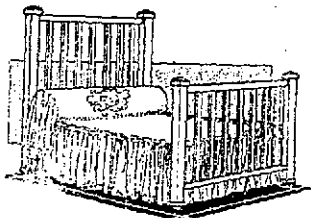
In our large display of the new Fall patterns and designs there are Rugs to meet every taste and desire.

Among them are the famous Whittall and other nationally known makes which we sell exclusively.

And we can save you money on these quality Rugs because we contracted for them before the enormous advances in market prices.

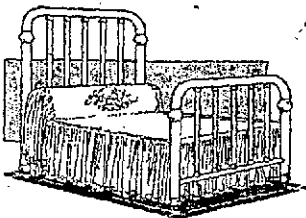
Your early inspection invited.

Special Values in Brass and Iron Beds



This Square Tube Steel
Bed Special at \$18.75

Made from heavy steel square tubing and is finished in white enamel. A very large value at this price.



This Genuine Brass
Bed Special at \$24.50

This Bed has 2-inch continuous posts and heavy 1-inch fillers. Very massive in appearance.

Baby Carriages In All the Latest Styles.



The "new arrivals" in Baby Carriages which we are now showing are creating a great deal of interest.

Included are all the latest styles and designs in many different finishes.

Stoves, Ranges and Heaters

Here you will find in great variety the WORLD'S BEST Coal, Gas and Combination Coal and Gas Ranges and Stoves—giving you the choice of the largest collection ever shown in Southwestern Pennsylvania.

We handle exclusively such famous, nationally known lines as the

Universal Combination Ranges
Garland Combination Ranges
New Process Gas Ranges
Garland Coal Ranges
Keeley Coal Ranges

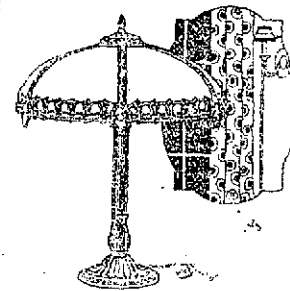
And our prices for these reliable, nationally known makes—that are giving complete satisfaction everywhere—are lower than other stores ask you to pay for just the ordinary kinds.



Advance Showing of Table and Floor Lamps in the Newest Styles and Shapes

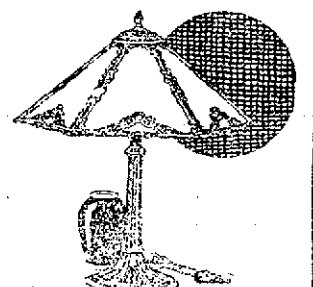
This great display of lamps includes the very newest designs which were contracted for several months ago at an exceptional saving.

The unusual beauty of these lamps appeal to all those who desire an artistic atmosphere in their home. And the prices are very low indeed.



This metal table lamp with opalescent glass shade comes in an unusual number of different colorings and is especially \$11.75

This display of lamps includes beautiful floor lamps with fine mahogany standards and silk shades of every description. You will also find artistically designed table lamps with both tinted glass and parchment shades as well as a complete display of dainty boudoir lamps. Without a doubt it is one of the most complete exhibitions of fine lamps ever made in this city.



Here is a metal lamp at a special price that will provide a tidy saving for many a home. Specially priced at \$9.75

MOTHERS, TRY THIS

Croup and Whooping Cough Are Always Dangerous.

Give the child at once a quartet of a teaspoonful of FORKOLA. All good druggists have this. In a minute the little patient will feel a gentle grow throughout the throat and chest and the hard, choking matter will be easily coughed up and expelled.

It's simply wonderful how quickly this pleasant tasting jelly acts, and all mothers whose children suffer from croup, whooping cough and colds, croup, etc., are strongly advised to have a small jar on hand for emergencies. It will save you many anxious moments. FORKOLA never fails, and every druggist in the country guarantees it on the money back if dissatisfied plan, so try it at our expense. Any druggist can supply you.

CASUALTIES AMONG YANKEES REPORTED BY GEN. PERSHING

Names of Boys from Connellsville and Nearby Towns on the List for Today.

The following casualties are reported by the commanding general of the American Expeditionary Forces:

Killed in action	144
Missing	116
Wounded severely	372
Wounded slightly	45
Died of accident and other causes	45
Died of wounds	45
Wounded, degree undetermined	322

Died of disease 54
Prisoners 21
Total 1,128
The list includes:
Killed in action—Private Henry Vance Bailey, Connellsville.
Wounded severely—Sergeant Howard A. Tice, Youngwood; Private Calvert Daniel, Washington, Pa.; Private Charles W. Smith, Smithfield.
Died of wounds—Private Clifford Sheppard, Mount Pleasant.
Died of disease—Private George Lewis, R. F. D. 2, Mount Pleasant.
Prisoner—Private John L. Burr, Washington.
Pardonize those who advertise.

CONSTIPATION

Is best treated by a vegetable remedy that gently drives out the poisonous waste that lodges in the lower bowel.

Celery King

Is sure and acts without discomfort. Use it for sick headache, colds and feverish condition. Same old remedy in the same old box.

IF YOU HAD A
NECK
AS LONG AS THIS FELLOW
AND HAD

SORE THROAT

ALL THE WAY
DOWN

TONSILINE

WOULD QUICKLY RELIEVE IT

Use it for sick headache, colds and feverish condition. Same old remedy in the same old box.

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American Expeditionary Forces,
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Company E, 1st U. S. Infantry,
U. S. A., American Expeditionary
Forces, France.LLOYD G. McCORM,
Lieutenant, 1st U. S. Infantry,
American Expeditionary Forces,
France.CORNELIUS J. POOLIE,
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2nd Battalion, Depot Brigade,
Camp Lee, Va.MICHAEL GRENALDO,
Battery B, 1st U. S. Infantry,
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Company H, 1st U. S. Infantry,
American Expeditionary Forces,
France.RUSSELL LEXWART,
U. S. Navy.CARL STEINLE,
American Expeditionary Forces,
France.JOSEPH A. BACE,
20th U. S. Infantry, American
Expeditionary Forces, France.LOUIS J. COLE,
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1st Division, Depot Brigade,
Camp Lee, Va.

Some of former men:

FRANK W. GANS,
Barracks, 2nd U. S. Infantry,
32nd Company, U. S. Marine.TIME TO STOP THE GERMAN
PEACE MANEUVER

The last German note is so palpably

a laborer and miser attempt to pre-

tend to accept the conditions imposed

by President Wilson as necessary to

be met before an armistice will be

considered, that it will be viewed with

even more suspicion than others that

have preceded it.

The bold and impudent attempt to

deny that inhuman acts have been

committed by the German army on

land and by submarine at sea, is a

stuffed insult to the intelligence of

every Allied nation, not to character-

ize it by a harsher term.

The avowal that changes have been

made in the government of Germany

of such character as will give the peo-

ple a deciding vote in its affairs, is

another artful dodge of the issue com-

prehended of the demand that the

"Hohenzollerns must go."

The blubbery whine that the Ger-

man government "trusts the President

of the United States will approve of

no demand which will be irreconcil-

able with the honor of the German

people and with the opening a way

to a peace of justice," is hypocritical

mockery. Germany's sense of honor

has been abandoned during the war

would make a peace based upon the

Teutonic standard as atrocious a com-

pact as her conduct of the war has

been brutal and inhuman.

The note, either in whole or in

part, cannot in any sense be con-

sidered as a frank acceptance of any

condition laid down by President Wil-

son. Both in letter and spirit it so

plainly betrays a desire to quibble and

evade, while seeming to speak with

candor and directness, and to prolong

the discussion, that it deserves as cur-

rent and positive an answer as was given

to Austria-Hungary's request for

peace on her own terms.

It is time to stop Germany's manue-

ver for peace negotiation. Let Foch's

guns dictate it.

On to Berlin! Get the Kaiser; Then

Peace.

Reading the latest German note one

is reminded of the late Judge Slay's

observation "anent expert witnesses,

made upon one of his periodical visits

to the Fayette county courts. "There

are plain lars; blarney lars and ex-

perts," was the judicial scale of com-

parison.

On to Berlin! Get the Kaiser; then

Peace.

The German "government by confer-

ence" need not worry about an oppor-

tunity for fixing the details of the

evacuation. It is given a free

hand he will see to it that there are no

details to fix.

Too much time has already been

wasted in the armistice talk. Hang

up the recorder and leave the rest to

Foch.

Of course the occupants of the life

boats carrying victims of the subma-

rine, and others were not murdered by

the Hun. They committed suicide by

purposely getting in range of the U-

boat guns.

Boasted "German efficiency" breaks

down even in Germany's lines.

Do not be deceived by any apparent

weakness of the Spanish influenza. Like

the Hun it employs deceptive methods

of attack.

Again it is the hand of Prince Max

behind the voice of Bluffing Bill.

A NIGHT AT THE
EMERGENCY HOSPITAL

Continued from Page One.

Mrs. McKee helped me into my uni-

form and pretty soon, even though I

was not a trained nurse, I, at least,

looked like one. Being absolutely

helpless I sat down and waited to be

told what to do.

I was presently taken into the

men's ward, the hall where the young

folks often danced to the music of

Kiefer's orchestra, now filled with 30

hospital beds, all occupied but two.

At first the room appeared so spooky.

Dimly lighted, the white figured pa-

tients in their beds added to the ghos-

tlyness of the scene. Two doctors and

a nurse were at the bedside of a fine

featured young man, a mere boy, in a

critical condition, who was breathing

heavily. The doctors had just decided

to send for the members of the boy's

family.

How sorry I was for him and how

my heart ached in sympathy for the

father and the aunt who soon came.

They repeatedly called the name of

the dying boy, but he gave no answer.

I reverently turned away as they

knelt at his bedside to pray. Later

his aunt tearfully told me that he

was a member of Company G and was

apparently waiting until he was old

enough to enlist for service overseas.

Toward morning his heavy breathing

ceased and he fell asleep. May his

sleep be peaceful.

One of the patients was delirious

and wanted to get out of bed. I was

asked to watch him. In my effort, at

one time, to keep him from getting

out of bed, I placed my hand on his

shoulder. He took it in his own and

held on to it in order to brace him-

self. He didn't let go and, having in

the meantime fallen asleep, I didn't

want to disturb him by withdrawing

my hand from his; but stood there

watching him sleep restlessly, mum-

bling deliciously. When the doctor

came, at one o'clock, I laughingly

said:

"You see, doctor, your patient is

holding my hand and making love to

me. Hurry up and get him well; I'm

anxious to see if he will continue af-

ter he's out of his delirium."

My dear girl," answered this hard

worked, rushed doctor, his eyes twink-

ling as he spoke, "all men who make

love are delirious." This doctor had

not slept for three nights, but he could

still joke.

There is patient No. — a young

foreigner. He is slender and short,

the outlines of his body scarcely vis-

ible under the covers of his bed. His

only hair stands up on his head like

a great number of black, glossy cork-

screws. He is the quiet patient, who

suffers in silence, eager not to be a

bother and grateful for every atten-

tion. His eyes follow one about, star-

lingly and dumbly.

He cannot speak English and un-

derstands very little of it. I asked

him if he wanted another pillow and

he answered, "No." I asked him how

he felt and he answered, "No." Then

I asked him where he worked and he

answered, "Bee No." meaning the B.

O. O. as I interpreted it.

Encouraged by that enlightening re-

sponse I gave him a glass of water

which he drank gratefully. I gave

him another pillow which he grate-

fully accepted. To my suggestions

that he try to get to sleep, interpreted

to him by signs, he no less grate-

fully responded by closing his eyes.

Little Felix, aged twelve, was fret-

ful and kept calling for things he was

not permitted to have. He wouldn't

keep covered. He called for liniment.

He cried for pills. He wanted lin-

iment for the ache he could touch and

pill for the ache he couldn't touch.

I despaired of getting him quiet and

to sleep. Finally, with promises of the

funny parts of all the Sunday papers,

I coaxed him to sleep. In the morn-

ing I felt rewarded when he asked

me in this way: "I want the nurse

with the black hair and the face that

matches her hair."

It was now morning. Did I still

feel helpless and useless? I should

say not! Not after carrying a million

barrels of water from the kitchen, by

the glassful; not after covering rest-

less, sick bodies innumerable times;

not after telling the time of night over

and over again to the sleepless ones.

Indeed, I felt quite useful when

helping the patients to wash up, thus

relieving the nurses to take tempera-

tures and pulses. And I felt as if I'd

certainly done something helpful when

Felix's mother came later, soaked

with the rain and anxious-eyed, and

I was able to tell her that her boy had

slept most of the night. She was not

permitted to see him and it took a lot

of patient reassuring to convince her

that she wasn't allowed in, not be-

cause her boy was serious, but because

he was not. She kept pleading: "You

tell me de true? You tell me de true?"

When I got home and to bed, even

though my feet felt like huge wagon

wheels with every spoke aching, I had

a chance to think it all over. Why, it

wasn't a sacrifice at all, but a big ad-

venture and I enjoyed every minute

of it. I discovered that we don't have

to go miles away from home or over-

seas for adventures and service—we

have it right here at home, and how

helpful and useful is that service in

the present distress of so many peo-

ple right at our door!

So go to it, girls, and lend a hand.

You won't know, until you have spent

a night at the emergency hospital how

much of comfort and real joy you'll

have from doing what, at first, may

seem to be an unpleasant duty.

Dutyman Fined.

W. E. Coughenour, of the Narrows,

a dairyman, was given a hearing this

morning before Mayor John Duggan,

charged with allowing his automobile

truck to block traffic on South Pitts-

burg street. He was arrested yester-

day afternoon by Patrolman Hetzel

and appeared for a hearing this morn-

ing. Mayor Duggan fined Coughenour

\$10.

Read The Daily Courier every day.

Why We Need a Republican Congress

Views of Senator Lodge and Ex-President Roosevelt

By Richard Barry in the Outlook.

Shortly after Henry Cabot Lodge was elected by the Repub-

lican Senators as their leader and spokesman I sought him in

the minority conference room, previously occupied by the late

Senator Gallinger.

"Republicans are of one mind as to this war and as to the

terms of peace," he said. "Even as a minority they have never

flinched where the majority party has weakened. Without the

Republicans of the House the first and second Draft Bills, on

which all of our success in war rests, could never have been passed.

In control of the organization of House and Senate they will

be able to drive the war forward with greater energy than the

present majority because they have no friends in executive office

to protect and no orders to take from any source except the

country's cause. They will not hesitate to tell the truth, and

nothing can so advance the war as absolute truth in dealing with

the American people. Republicans have but one idea now, and

that is to win the war. They have nothing to conceal. They

realize that Americans are brave, that they are ready for any

sacrifice, that they want to know the truth, that they will face it,

that they will do all the better for knowing it, and that nothing

is gained by misleading them.

"Republicans wish to sustain to the utmost those charged

with responsibility—first, and above all, our armies in the field

then the administration; but where there is inefficiency, delay,

HIGHER PRICE FOR 1919 WHEAT CROP URGED IN REPORT

Advice of Only Committee Farm-
ers Have at Capital Was
Disregarded.

Chicago, Ill.—Some very startling facts are certain to develop as the result of a resolution offered in the House of Representatives by Congressman Anderson, Republican of Minnesota, calling for an investigation of the report that, early in August, the Agricultural Advisory Committee pointed to investigate the cost of producing wheat and to recommend a guaranteed price for the 1919 harvest, recommended \$2.46 as a minimum price to be guaranteed for 1919 wheat. The report and recommendation, when brought to light, will disclose the following facts: After four days' session and hearings, the Agricultural Advisory Committee, with seventeen of twenty-four members present, by the unanimous vote of those present, passed the following resolution to be transmitted to the Secretary of Agriculture: "Resolved, That it is the sense of this Committee that a minimum price of \$2.46 per bushel for No. 1 Northern Spring Wheat, or its equivalent, based on Chicago delivery, be fixed for the 1919 wheat crop."

Need of Higher Prices.
In support of its report, the committee said while it believed the price of \$2.20 per bushel as guaranteed for the 1918 wheat crop was, under all circumstances, reasonable, that it felt sure that—

"The wheat crop of 1919 cannot be produced on the same basis of cost for the following reasons: The additional cost of commercial fertilizers and clover seed, which are necessary to many sections in the successful growing of wheat; the increased cost of farm machinery; the increased cost of accessories and repairs; the increased cost of fuel and lubricating oils for the tractor engines used in preparing much of the land; the increased cost of skilled labor used in running such machines; the increased and increasing cost of all common labor, both because of higher wages due to lessened supply and of rapidly diminishing efficiency; the increased demands of labor for improved living conditions, which must be met by the building of houses for the occupancy of married men, by using the only class now available in any substantial number for farm work."

The report further stated that on the basis of \$2.46 wheat, the cost of flour would be increased only one dollar per barrel over the cost of flour on the basis of \$2.20 wheat, and that the average yearly consumption of flour is less than one barrel per capita. "Surely," says the report, "one dollar per annum cannot be regarded as an unreasonable advance in the cost of living, considering the level of wages already reached under war conditions."

No Profit Allowed Farmers.
Although this was the official recommendation of the committee, informally it stated that in recommending \$2.46 as the guaranteed price for 1919 wheat they named the minimum; that this price does not include cost of fertilizers; that it allows only 8 per cent. increase for labor and machinery, whereas the government has allowed 25 per cent. for these items in fixing prices in other industries; and that, finally, it allows the farmer no percentage of profit at all.

Of all the multitude of commissions and committees handling war activities at our national capital this committee is the only representation the Northern farmer has. That this recommendation, reached after a careful inquiry, should have been utterly ignored is sure to call for considerable explanation—especially in view of the tender solicitude shown the cotton planter who is making nearly 200 per cent. profit on the basis of his present prices, which the administration refuses to regulate.

REPUBLICANS DEMAND AUDIT.

Think People Should Have Check on
Billion They Have Given.

Last year Congress appropriated \$1,000,000,000 to be expended in war contracts. The estimates for the appropriations during the current year are approximately \$32,000,000,000.

Twice during the past year the Republicans in Congress attempted to have a congressional committee created for the purpose of supervising and auditing war contract expenditures. Even Democratic members admitted there is great waste and extravagance—and even graft—in the expenditure of such vast sums. But the Democrats refuse to agree to any auditing or supervising committee. Twice they have defeated such proposals.

Congressman Fees, chairman of the Republican Congressional Committee, says he cannot understand the "neutrality" of the Democratic Congress whenever the proposition is made to have an audit of the public money. He says the Republicans will, if they control the next Congress, create such an auditing committee. The people have willingly supplied the billions. They are entitled to know how it is being spent.

Margery Disapproved.
Margery's mother took her to a costume party meeting. The meeting was led by a returned missionary who believed strongly in the efficacy of prayer. And she believed in prayer not only from the heart but from the knees, as well.

When Margery's father returned that night he began to question her regarding her experience. "I understand you went to your first prayer meeting today, daughter," he said. "How did you enjoy it?"

The youngster's answer came in a flash. "I didn't like it at all, daddy, not at all," she said. "They didn't do a thing but just sing and turn over!"

This is the people's war. Any attempt to capitalize it as a Democratic party war is an insult to every Republican home which has a service flag.

COTTON PROFITEERING

Survey Made by Banking House
for the "Market" Shows
145 Per Cent. Profits.

The cost of producing the 1917-18 cotton crop was 11.23 cents a pound. The average price obtained for the crop was 27.5 cents.

The cotton planter's net profit on the 1917-18 crop was 16.27 cents a pound, or a little over 145 per cent.

These figures are furnished to the "Market" by the banking house of U. F. Bachman & Co. of New York city, one of the largest cotton brokers in the country. They are based on a survey of over 2,000 cotton growing counties in the South. The survey was made by Mr. James L. Watkins, formerly Chief Cotton Statistician of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The "cost" includes every possible item of expense, including even the price of bacon and cornmeal, which many cotton planters furnish their negro labor.

The cost of producing the 1918-19 crop, just coming into the market, will not exceed that of the 1917-18 crop, as the Watkins survey was made this year, after the 1917-18 crop was picked and marketed, since which time there has been little or no increase in any of the items of cost. But the 1918-19 crop is being sold at over 30 cents a pound. The net profit to the cotton planter on this year's cotton crop will be very close to 200 per cent.

Yet a Democratic controlled Congress refuses to fix a price on cotton, despite the fact that prices have been fixed for products of Northern farmers and products of Northern mines and factories.

Jury Knew Him.
The jury of mountaineers that returned the quaint verdict reported in the Boston Journal were evidently more impressed by the evidence in the case than by the character of the defendant.

The trial was held in a sparsely settled district of West Virginia. It was the first case for the majority of the members of the jury, and they sat for hours arguing and disputing in the bare little room at the rear of the court-room. At last they struggled back to their places, and the foreman, a lean, gaunt fellow with a solemn countenance, announced the verdict.

"The jury don't think that he done it, for we allow he wa'n't there, but we think he would have done it if he'd had the chance."—Youth's Companion.

Night Surveying in the Desert.

In laying out the 17-mile tangent of the motor highway across the Utah desert it was found very difficult to carry on the work in the day time. The sunlight reflected from the fields of glittering salt and alkali is so dazzling that it blinds the eyes, unless they are protected by dark colored glasses, and the rising heat waves distort the shapes of objects sighted and produce fantastic effects. Under George F. McGonigle, state engineer and member of the state road commission, this tangent was established by signal fires at night.—Engineer's News-Record.

"Let the Germans talk to Foch. Let them ask him for an armistice and let Foch tell them how they can get one."—United States Senator Nelson, Republican of Minnesota.

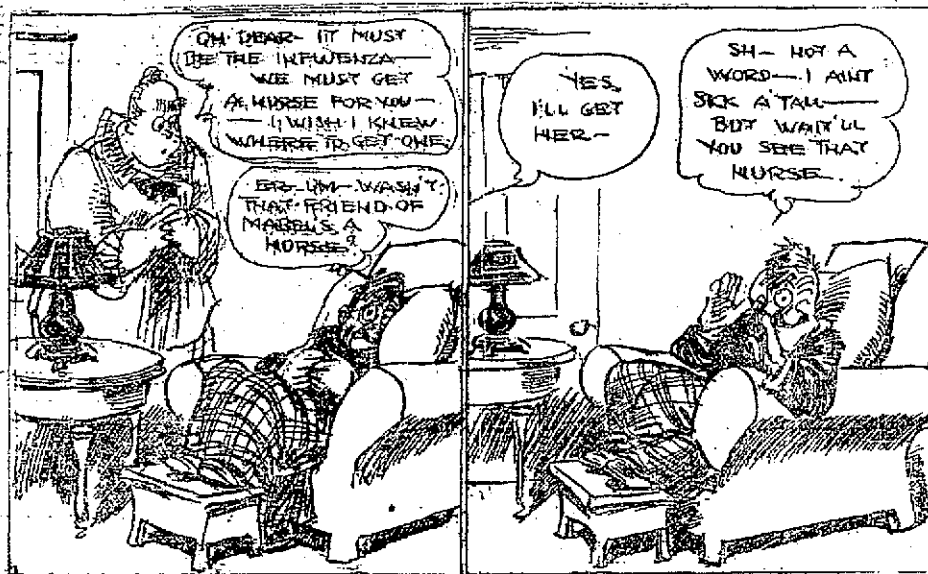


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Headwear Foreshadowing Winter



The melancholy days have come, but so have the new fall hats, and they have brought along with them a sure cure for the blues. It is just out of the question to try on this enticing new millinery and go on regretting the passing of summer at the same time, for winter is foreshadowed and welcomed by the loveliest of headwear. The war has thrown Americans on their own resources in designing, to a greater extent than ever before; it is hard to tell just how much we owe to our own "home-grown" milliners, but there cannot be two opinions about the new hats. They are excellent from every standpoint.

There are shapes that are large and there are small hats, and all of them are graceful. Lines are wonderful and trimmings do not interfere with them or blur them. Brims are irregular, crowns are soft, materials are rich and trimmings simple. Much handcraft appears in the making of these hats and in the making of their trimmings. The predominating colors are quiet, but nevertheless brilliance is universal in the season's models.

A group of representative hats is pictured above. The shapes have style and becomingness to recommend them and include the principal types of hats to be worn during the coming season. At the top a hat of dark blue panne velvet is faced with long-napped beaver and has a band of heavier about the crown. There is a silk tassel of the same color for the trimming. The

brim is wider at the right side than anywhere else and has a beautiful upward roll to the left.

Just below is a lovely hat in dark brown satin with the entire underbrim covered with tightly curled ostrich feathers, also in brown. These very short, curled feathers look like Persian lamb fur. The hat is finished with a smart, wired bow and in this shape the brim widens at the left.

The big picture hat at the right is of black panne velvet faced with plain velvet. There is not much more to say of it except that its brim is soft, its lines marvelously becoming and its crown embroidered with wheat and flowers in heavy silk floss. At the other side of the group a small, drooping-brimmed hat of porcelain blue felt makes one waver in allegiance to big hats. The felt is overlaid with crepe georgette in the same color and for trimming there is a generous bow of beige grosgrain ribbon, matching the hat in color.

None of these shapes have rigid brims or crowns—each of them is simply trimmed and each proclaims itself the work of some skilled and clever milliner.

Julia Bottomley

Waistcoat of Ivory Tone.
A blue serge suit should be accompanied by a waistcoat of ivory tone.

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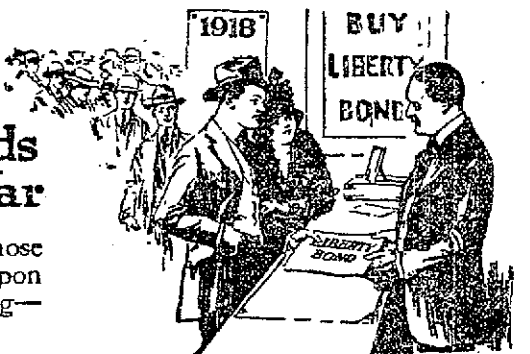
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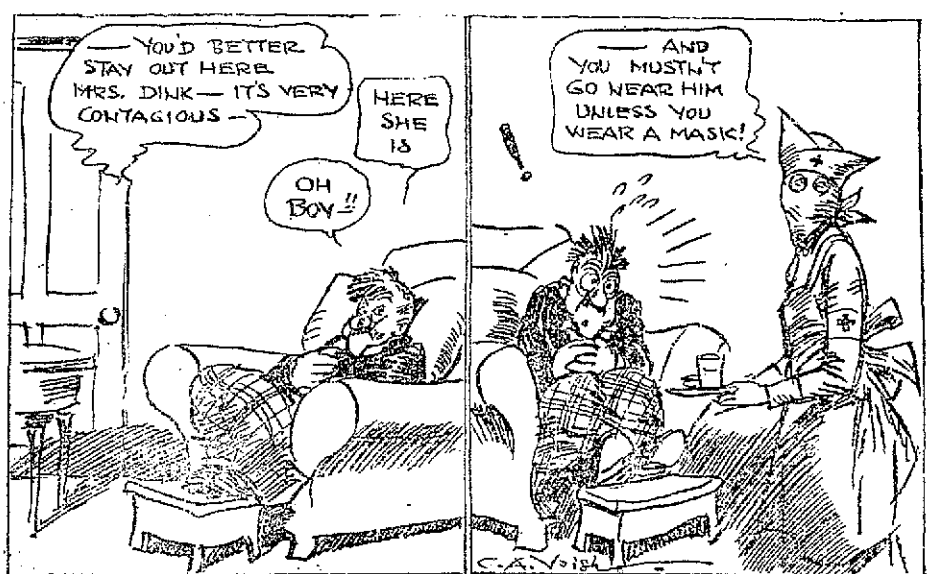
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By C. A. VOIGHT



Bicycle Racing Makes Fighting Muscles, Says Hardy Veteran Bobby Walthour

Sport prospers in France Even More Than Before the War and Soldiers Are Enthusiastic, Declares Former World's Champion, Who Is Going "Over There" as a "Y" Worker With the French Army.

By BOBBY WALTHOUR
(Former World's Champion Cyclist)

I AM certainly among the Y. M. C. A. game. You get all the thrills out of it you want, even if you, like I, have gone through many years of hard athletic life. I have had both legs broken several times, both arms broken, collar bone broken 24 times on one side and had my skull fractured. My body is covered with the scars of innumerable falls in my 22 years' riding experience, but I have gotten more thrills out of modified rugby, football, and basketball than I ever got out of bicycling.

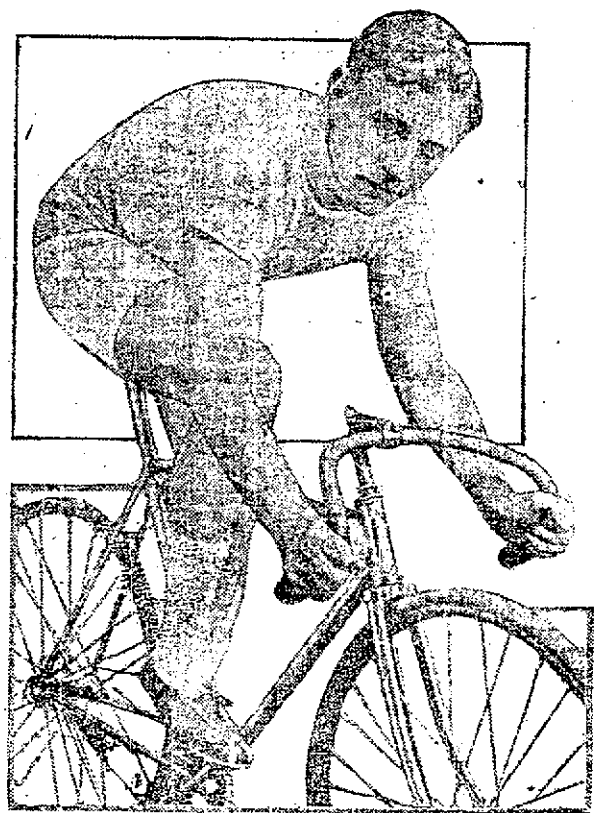
I am in better condition today than I have ever been in my life before as the result of my training course at Springfield and Silver Bay, and I am simply rarin' to go. I know I am going to enjoy my work in France, for I lived there 14 years, and I only hope I can repay the brave French soldiers for their many great kindnesses to me when I was a stranger in their land. I am to work with the French army.

Thrives on Hard Work

It will be hard work, but I know I'll like it. If that bunch of good fellows who are helping our soldier boys through the Y. M. C. A., the K. of C., the War Work Community Service, the Jewish Welfare Board, the American Library Association and the Salvation Army, can stand it I guess Bobby Walthour can. I've thrived on hard work for years.

Bicycling is an ideal sport for a soldier. It builds up vitality as no other form of sport does, demanding extraordinary endurance and testing the muscles of the legs, heart and lungs, all of which are fighting muscles.

Bicycling is the national sport of France and Italy. It comes very nearly being the one great international sport, more so than our great game of baseball, or the English game of cricket. Bicycle racing has prospered in France even more



BOBBY WALTHOUR.

since the war broke out than before. The soldiers love it. Many seek to get furloughs to come home and enter races. Crowds of 20,000 or even more are common to-day at French bicycle race meets.

Still Riding Well

In spite of my years in the game and many injuries, I rode well last year. I won at both sprints and distances most of the principal races at Dijon, Lyon, Paris and Milan.

I hold every track record in nearly every principal city in Italy, Belgium, France and Germany, as well as some American records. My thirty-mile record at Boston, 32:52 still stands, and my six-day record of 1,492 miles in 72 hours, still stands.

So you see that thousands of

French soldiers know Bobby Walthour, and I long for the day when again I can be with them, in the uniform of the Y. M. C. A., and hear their call, as they once did: "Ah, M'sieu Bobby!"

Nobody will know how proud I shall be of that uniform and of the great work that I shall be entering upon. I believe it is the biggest job that Bobby Walthour ever undertook, and if I can only bring some sunshine into the lives of those poor, brave, French fighters who have held back the Hun, we, over here in America, might have liberty—let's not forget this—then Bobby Walthour will be happy with the thought that he has done something really worth while. Live in France! Live in France! Live in France!

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Mr. Lubomski said: "I had been a sufferer from catarrh and stomach trouble for a long time and nothing I took would help me. I had no appetite. I kept spitting up mucus and phlegm all the time. My mouth and throat were always coated with matter, and I had a tired feeling all over my body."

"If I did eat anything I almost always threw it up, and in the few times I did eat gas would form in my stomach and press up against my heart, so that I could hardly breathe, and I would get terrible sick headaches."

"I took every kind of medicine I could find, but none did me any good. Friends told me about Tanlac, and I read of the great help it had been to many sick people, so I bought a bottle at Heidenreich's Drug Store, Pittsburgh, Pa."

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MEMORY THAT WILL LAST

French Gratitude to America Is Deeply Engraved on the Hearts of Her People.

Kathleen Norris, writing in the Women's Home Companion, gives an imaginary conversation with a young French girl describing the coming of the American soldiers to France as she is supposed to remember it:

"And men—to stand beside our men—from America! I remember standing at the chateau gateway on a bright November afternoon and seeing them come up the road. Soldiers! We were used to soldiers! But these were different. Grandmere was with me, we had been here all the time."

"They came along, in the streaming afternoon sunlight, and they smiled and waved at me. 'They are the Americans!' grandmere said, and she began to cry softly. 'God bless them—God bless them!' she whispered, over and over. And that night, as you know, we had their officers at the chateau, and one of them told me he also had a daughter, not much younger than I, and that her name was Virginia."

"I don't know why—for, God knows, there were hard times, and dark times, ahead. But from that moment I felt—hope. Child that I was, I seemed to see, behind those marching men, the big and generous nation that was dedicating itself to their service, the women everywhere, with their sewing and cooking, saving and planning, their letters and their prayers—all one in their work for an ideal beside which the comfort and the ease of this generation was as nothing!"

SPIRIT OF AMERICA TODAY

Veteran's Patriotic Gift Showed That His Heart Still Beat High With Patriotic Fervor.

An old man, thin and bent with the years of hardships plainly marking his wrinkled face, stood on a station platform at an Indiana town recently as a train bearing a party of young men registered to Camp Taylor stopped. The old man wore a faded blue uniform, the badge of the Civil war. He had a message for the young men who were to be trained in the United States army, and he was surrounded by a group of young fellows.

"I wasn't counting on gettin', to talk to so many of you boys," he told them triumphantly. "I just came down to give something to one of Uncle Sam's new soldiers."

He drew a parcel from under his coat and opening it displayed a pair of almost perfectly knitted socks. "They ain't much for my country," he apologized, "but they will help some young fellow to fight better. These don't look like much in a soldier's eye, but I knitted them myself and I bought the yarn out of my pension money."

A thin fellow got the socks because the old soldier thought he would need them most. The train pulled out and the little old soldier went back home to knit another pair of socks for another young soldier.

Nature's Silent Power. Calamities! If any state in the Union had had an earthquake or fire causing a loss of from \$20,000,000 to \$40,000,000, we should have stood agast. But the recent extraordinary cold snap in the citrus fruit belt of California is reported to have ruined almost four-fifths of the orange and lemon crops. The estimated damage is put by some as high as \$40,000,000, of which between \$5,000,000 and \$8,000,000 will be a loss to railroads in curtailed freight receipts. Nature exerts its destructive forces in many ways, sometimes with the violence of an earthquake, and at others with the silent, sweeping, lay hand of the Frost King. California has suffered in recent years from both visitations. But its wonderful natural advantages, its wealth of resources, and, above all, its self-reliant people, may always be depended upon to lift it above every adversity. But hasn't it had its share for the present?—Lullie's.

Spurgeon's Philosophy. To get, we must give; to accumulate, we must scatter; to make ourselves happy, we must make others happy.—C. H. Spurgeon.

CAREER ON TURF OF CAMPFIRE IS ENDED

Wilson's Great Two-Year-Old Will Long Be Remembered.

Son of Olambala and Nightfall Never Speedier Than When He Broke Down—Colt Was Sufferer of Autointoxication.

No breeder in the United States, taking the number of mares in his string into comparison, can show a greater measure of success than Richard T. Wilson, the president of the Saratoga Association for the Improvement of the Breed of Horses. While Wilson had until recently only about half a dozen mares, he always had a horse of more than ordinary quality racing under his colors that was the outcome of his own theories in mating, while in Campfire and Hannibal he secured two first-class horses.

"The general public will never know how good a horse Campfire was," said Wilson a few days ago in discussing the possibilities of the son of Olambala and Nightfall as a sire. "He was never greater than when he broke down, and the morning he went wrong I think he could have worked faster over Belmont Park than any horse he did great things as a two-year-old when he topped the list of winners in this country; he was, in my opinion, destined to accomplish still greater things later in his career."

"I have always had my own opinion concerning Campfire, and nothing will make me better that he was not a sufferer from what we would call auto-intoxication in the human family. It was this which interfered with his training and kept him from taking the same pride of place as a three-year-old which he occupied at two. This season he appeared to be himself again; but now his racing career is ended and the public will have to remember him as a very great two-year-old."

"There are breeders in this country who have been prone to overlook the greatness of some of our American families while unduly exploiting the merits of others. We are all ready to concede the potency of the Bonnie Scotland and Hanover families, but back of Hanover and Hindoo there was a mighty horse—a horse of great individuality—whose qualities have come down through generations of good horses. I refer to Virgil, son of Vandal and grandson of the immortal Genoece. This horse's blood, in my way of thinking, had as much to do with making Hanover great as did his Bonnie Scotland dam."

"Virgil spent many of his best years in obscurity; was used as a hack horse, being driven about the streets of New Orleans by the late Col. R. W. Simmons, who frequently told me that the horse could show a three-minute gait on the trot. He could jump and he could run far and fast."

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Big First Baseman of Boston Braves Declares Intention of Joining Uncle Sam's Game.

Another big league baseball star has announced his retirement from the game until the Boches are whipped and



Eddie Konetchy.

his intention of becoming one of Uncle Sam's 4,000,000 "over there." He is Eddie Konetchy, first baseman of the Boston Braves.

PLAYER BEHIND CLUB OF MOST IMPORTANCE

Inventions Seldom Assist Golfer in Improving His Game.

Innovations in Form of a Club Rarely Prove Practicable—Correct Line, Proper Force and Touch Does the Business.

With a million golfers in the United States, little wonder that the inventive mind occasionally offers suggestions which threaten to send the ancient game and its traditions a-glimmering. Inventions rarely receive encouragement, for "golf is golf," and meant to be played as "she is writ," and for that reason the iconoclasts seldom make more than a momentary flash ere fading away to oblivion.

For instance, one is at a loss to know why anyone should suggest the substitution of yellow for white paint on a golf ball. It has been claimed that under certain conditions white is hard on the eyes; that on a very bright day a more neutral color would be serviceable.

Yet golfers have played for a good many years, and the sun has shone just as brightly in the past as it does at present. It would be hard to get a better contrast than the white ball on the green turf.

So far as the trade goes, there have been comparatively few recommendations to change the color of the ball, though recently a man who is a frequenter of an Eastern link left an order with a sporting goods house for a dozen of one of the latest makes of rubber cores to be painted red.

His reason was that when his shots went wandering among the glistening white shells of the Lido club course the caddy had trouble in locating the sphere. Consequently he figured it out that a red object would be much easier to distinguish.

Occasionally some one comes along with a new idea in the form of a club, but these innovations rarely prove practicable. Not long since a man had a new-fangled putter, with a head of abnormal size, and a mirror attachment on the shaft. He thought he had something that was likely to revolutionize the short game, but received no encouragement from the manufacturer to whom he showed the club.

After all, the same old saying, "It's the man behind the club," continues to apply. If he hits the ball right it won't go astray and there will be little trouble in finding it. While on the green it's getting the correct line and knowing the proper force and touch that does the business, mirror or no mirror.

COACH AND WIFE IN SERVICE

Grant Ward is at Great Lakes Station—Mrs. Ward as Third Class Yeoman.

Grant Ward, formerly assistant football coach at Ohio State and later head of the Columbia department of recreation has a family 100 per cent in the war service. Grant himself is at Great Lakes in the naval training school and Mrs. Ward a few days ago left for Norfolk, Va., to join the navy as a third-class yeoman. Her clerical services will relieve a man for active duty on the sea.

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Soldiering Harder Than Baseball, But "I'm Where I Belong," Says Bennie Kauff

"Now I Wouldn't Change Places With Any Other Man on Earth," Declares Former Giants' Star—Team He Organized With Aid of the "Y" Swelled Various Funds at Camp Sherman by Playing Games at Nearby Cities.

By CORPORAL BENNIE KAUFF
(Formerly Star Batter and Outfielder of the New York Giants.)

FOR the first two weeks of my training at Camp Sherman I was as thoroughly dissatisfied a rookie as ever wore khaki. Then that thing reached out and took on me that takes hold of every selected man who is not a slacker at heart, and now I wouldn't change places with any other man on earth. I'm where I belong. That thought makes it easy for me to do a lot of things you couldn't have hired me to do a year ago.

Baseball players have a pretty easy time. It's different in the army. You rise at command, go to bed at command and devote most of the intervening time to doing things at command. For a time I found it hard to adjust myself to this constant discipline, but after a short time it became second nature. Then came a realization of what it all meant, of what they were doing with us and what it would enable us to do when we got our chance over there.

Then, too, the Y. M. C. A. helped a lot. I suppose the army could get along without the "Y" and kindred organizations, but I am mighty glad it doesn't have to. These organizations fill a place in the soldiers' lives that would be absolutely empty without them, and are doing as much to develop and maintain the morale of the army as they are to provide for our comfort and entertainment.

We have upward of 50,000 men at Camp Sherman at times, and every one is dependent on the Y. M. C. A. the Y. W. C. A. the



BENNIE KAUFF
K. O. C. the War Camp Community Service, the Jewish Welfare Board, the American Library Association, or the Salvation Army for entertainment, recreation and most of the little conveniences which mean so much to the soldier. The "Y" cities, was the means of adding many hundreds of dollars to the various sections of our camp but

"DEMOCRACY'S HOPES AND SAFEGUARD"

In a Democracy we must have at least two political parties. In a true democracy such as the Boys are fighting to establish representation must be equally distributed.

For instance in Fayette County, the Lower Yough and Monongahela end of the County consisting of Perry Township, Franklin Township Washington Township Lower Tyrone Township, Fayette City and Belle Vernon has had no representation in the State Legislature for twenty years. It is only fair that the voters of Conneltsville and vicinity go to the Polls November 5th and vote for J. Buell Snyder of Perryopolis formerly Principal of the High School and now a Director and successful business manager.

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LINGERIE TO BE ADORNED

"Frillery" Must Be Ornamented With Hand Painting, Is a Coming Edict of Fashion.

Well girls, you will soon be wearing your own art gallery. Painted lingerie is coming, and who knows but what you will have a birdseye view of the Steel City, with its miles in full blast, running around the bottom of your skirt? For it is said that lingerie that once screamed will make its painted approach much more noiselessly and without ostentation but with force. Oil paintings come to suit individual taste on the lingerie are among the fall announcements. Each piece is to follow a master design, and sets will have their day in court. Thus, a mosquito-net dress will put a spider web stocking most eminently in the shade, if not entirely out of business, and a whole flock of vultures opens up before those of us who have eyes with limitless possibilities as to scenic effects, with startling backgrounds and atmospheric tonalities. "Washington Crossing the Delaware," "Joan of Arc Listening to the Voices," "The Battle of Waterloo" and examples of the shot-to-pieces school may all be harnessed to the new fad. The artistic temperament may now take on a new lease of life, in spite of the agitation in favor of a tax on art ranging up to 5 per cent. It may mount upon eagle's wings. It may run without weariness. It may—but what's the use? The new fad is a positive boon to struggling artists from Maine to California whose productions have, since the war, had to confront not only a sluggish but a positively dead market. Let us all raise in our places and give three rousing cheers for the application of painting to lingerie.—New York Times.

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